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Refugees Get Good U.S. Army Home

About 500 Polish Jewish refugees, who have trekked across Germany from their homeland, are settling up a house, the best house they have known for many a day, in a temporary camp, which the United States Army, with admirable speed and efficiency, prepared for their reception in the American sector of Berlin.

The camp, which once housed the adjutant general's sector of the German High Command, is named Camp Duppe.

Most of the men and women that correspondents talked with were hardy physical specimens, tough survivors of Polish Jewry after six years of persecution. Many of them had money, usually occupation marks, says the New York Times.

Truckloads of refugees, who had sought shelter in an old Swedish pavilion, appeared to be in good shape. They were warmly clad and were far from starvation.

Mentally their state is pitiable. They are thoroughly frightened, confused and palpably eager to please questioners with every story they believe will ingratiate them.

According to Col. Frank L. Howley, director of the U.S. Office of Military Government in the Berlin district, the refugees all tell roughly the same story, with individual differences of "threats of persecutions."

A number of them carry threatening letters, which they say were written by anti-Semitic hands in Poland.

Each of seven persons interviewed through an interpreter claimed to have known someone, either in his family or a close friend, who had been beaten or tortured by anti-Semitic elements.

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Claim Jews Held Without Trial

More than 900 illegal Jewish immigrants, the largest batch ever to enter Palestine at one time, were captured off Haifa by a British naval craft and landed. Their ship, which flew a fictitious emblem, was confiscated and the captain and crew arrested.

Their arrival created for the British an embarrassing situation that must have been anticipated but that has no apparent solution. Up to now illegal entrants have been allowed to remain but their number has been deducted from the normal immigration quota. Now there is no quota, immigration having completely ceased, so that there can be no deduction. High Government officials told correspondents that these "illegals" would be detained "until a decision regarding future immigration has been announced."

The "illegals" came on a 500-ton motor vessel named for Enzo Sereeni, a Palestine labor leader who was executed in northern Italy by the Germans after he parachuted behind the enemy lines. Their ship was sighted by a routine air reconnaissance patrol that noted her uncertain course and her strange flag. Word was flashed back to the naval station and a British naval patrol was sent out. The ship was intercepted and boarded.

None on board had proper papers so all were taken into custody and landed at Haifa. The 904, along with captain and crew, were taken to the Ashit camp for screening. This camp, the British explained, is not a detention or a penal camp. Jewish Agency officials have access to it.

The ship was held until London decides upon some interim immigration policy but the captain and crew will be tried and the ship confiscated. In the last such case the captain was sentenced to two years in prison while crew members were freed.

About 250 persons are now held in Eritrea. A similar number, held for similar offenses, are detained in Palestine at Latrun. All of them are being held indefinitely while their individual cases are investigated.

The Jews are particularly concerned about those in Eritrea because they cannot understand by what right the British can ship persons out of the country and hold them indefinitely without trial. The British answer is "security." British officials contend that although no war is going on, there are wartime conditions in Palestine that call for wartime measures.

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Doubt Arab Boycott Of Jews Will Hold

The most representative gathering of Arabs in Palestine since 1936 turned thumbs down on any concession to Jews and asked for an end to the Palestine mandate. It was a meeting sponsored by the newly formed Arab Higher Committee.

These Arabs, who represented the Supreme Muslim Council, labor groups, professional cliques and religious organizations, not only refused to approve the admission of any more Jews in the country but called for a water-tight boycott of Jewish goods and services and topped off their complete defiance by demanding the return to Palestine of their exiled Grand Mufti.

The Mufti, who fled the country during the war and has been in the bad graces of most Allied nations because of his alleged support of the Germans, was the uncontested Arab leader of Palestine. Arabs never admitted his alleged Germanic leanings and feel now that he is badly needed in Palestine to help fuse a united Arab front at this critical time.

These demands, or requests, came in reply to the British Government's recommendation that the Arabs consider permitting a monthly quota of 1,000 Jews for four months.

In the meantime some neutral experts are dubious of the effectiveness of the boycott. Smuggling across the lightly patrolled borders of the Arab States is easy and is a full-time occupation for some. Black marketing has become a habit during the war and some observers predict that the first effect of the boycott will be a new black market in Palestinian products.

In Damascus, where signs were put up saying that "the battle is on," merchants have been stocking up with scarce items for six weeks in advance. It was reliably reported that similar hoarding has been done by Arabs elsewhere, including Palestine.

The smuggling of Zionist goods from Palestine has been made a treasonable offense in Syria but even with such draconian measures the Arab states which are attempting to strangle Jewish industry with a boycott may encounter obstacles in making the boycott effective.

In the first place, figures issued by the Palestine Government showed that the Arab countries take only one-fourth of Palestine's exports exclusive of oil products, which are largely intended for the foreign armed forces and not the local populations. In 1944 Palestine's exports totaled 14,638,000 Pounds (Palestine), of which about 3,250,000 Pounds went to Arab states, exclusive of oil products. Incomplete figures for 1945 are similar.

Neighboring states took only one-quarter of Palestine's production despite the fact that during the war the Middle East Supply Centre encouraged self sufficiency of this area so as to save shipping and preserve supplies elsewhere.

On the other hand, Palestine bought more than twice as much from the Arab countries as she sold to them, again excluding oil, which is imported to Palestine from Iran in large quantities for refining.

Exact figures for oil exports and imports are unavailable because they have been secret during the war.

Palestine's total imports for 1944 were 36,225,000 Pounds, of which more than 6,000,000 Pounds came from Arab countries as compared with 3,250,000 Pounds exports to those countries.

Being a bigger buyer than a seller Palestine is in a position to retaliate against the boycott and it is understood that the Palestine Government is seeking alternative sources of supply as well as alternative markets to combat the boycott.

At present the whole Middle East and Europe are sellers' markets. Before the boycott was instituted Palestine was not able, because of wartime restrictions and shortages, to supply the demand for her goods and the demand now is such that Palestine producers are confident of finding a market for their goods at least until British, American and European companies get back into the market.

Demand for an end of the mandate and the establishment of Palestine as an independent country came as a surprise and indicates that the Arabs now believe themselves sufficiently united to carry on without external aid, or at least aid prescribed by Great Britain.

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Train Partisans For Palestine In New York

For several weeks, a uniformed group of ninety-eight young men and women, members of an affiliate of the New Zionist Organization of America, whose headquarters are at 65 West Forty-second Street, New York, have been quietly drilling and training two nights a week in a Harlem gymnasium.

Neither the affiliate nor the New Zionist Organization of America is in any manner connected with the Zionist Organization of America, with national headquarters in Washington, and offices in the larger cities.

The affiliate of the New Zionist Organization of America calls itself Brith Trumpeldor of America, Inc., and has for its objective joining up with the militant movement in Palestine for a Jewish state. Spokesmen declared that those who complete the course at the end of two months will endeavor to get into Palestine through the so-called "illegal route," if visas from the U. S. to that country are not made available.

Brith Trumpeldor of America, Inc., describes itself as a militant Zionist youth organization. Its members are receiving instruction in drill, jiu jitsu, map reading, Palestine geography and topography, radio communications, Jewish history, Hebrew, Arabic, wrestling and hand-to-hand fighting. Headquarters of Brith Trumpeldor in the U. S. are the same as those of the New Zionist Organization of America, on the fifteenth floor of the West Forty-second Street address.

Aaron Z. Propes, a former Latvian army officer who came to America from Palestine five years ago, is director of the training which is carried on in the gymnasium on the second floor of the building at 252 West 116th Street, New York. He said the reason for training this group and others to follow is that "after German prisoners of war and native English Nazis have been released from custody, Jewish nationals are languishing and perishing behind concentration camp walls, and in Palestine men, women and children are being shot down mercilessly by British troops."

"In such circumstances a virtual state of hostilities exists between the British and the Jewish nations," he continued. "Palestine is an occupied country. The Jewish underground and partisans are on the offensive. Young Jews throughout the world stand ready to join the struggle."

The Brith Trumpeldor-Betar (contracted name of the organization)—is their place of mobilization. The officer's training school will supply instructors, one hundred from every class, to the thousands who look to Betar for guidance and adequate preparation for the task confronting them and Jewry.

Many American Jewish youths, he declared, "are disgusted with British treachery, practiced on a people which is prostrate."

"England did not commit only an injustice," he said, "England and the world are responsible for the death of millions of Jews, and American Jewish youth knows that but for a slight accident in their own family history, they too would have been among the corpses."

"In the war just concluded, the Jews suffered twenty-five times more dead than the whole British Empire combined. The world has been liberated, yet the Jewish nation remains in English chains."

"We will not accept this position. American Jewish youth has been reared in the letter and spirit of the democratic principles of the United States. They know the value of liberty and they will secure it for the Jewish nation. Guts are not lacking in America. The Betar officers' school has started the ball rolling of the North American continent."

Jiu jitsu is taught by an instructor described as Major Allen Smith, a veteran of the Spanish-American War. Military drill is under the instruction of Isiah Warshaw, a former member of the 112th Cavalry, United States Army. Spokesmen of Brith Trumpeldor claim a membership of 1,000 throughout the country.

In its appeal to prospective recruits through illustrated pamphlets, Trumpeldor says to Jewish youth: "If you are ready for action, if you want more than demonstrations, if you believe as we

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LAST SPEAKERS HEARD BY AMERICAN SESSION OF PALESTINE INQUIRY

The Anglo-American Committee of Inquiry on Palestine heard Dr. Reinhold Niebuhr, prominent Presbyterian theologian, advocate a Jewish state in Palestine in the last hearing to be held by the committee in Washington before it sailed for London.

In declaring the American hearings at an end, Judge Joseph C. Hutcheson, United States chairman, said he would have been happier if the presentation of some of the conflicting viewpoints had been less vigorous and controversial. He added, "Perhaps we cannot find a solution by council but only by judgment."

Meanwhile, in Cairo, the Kings of Egypt and Saudi Arabia declared jointly that "we join all Arabs and Moslems in the world in their belief that Palestine is an Arab country and that it must stay an Arab country."

Sir John Singleton, British co-chairman of the Anglo-American Palestine Committee, indicated in

Washington that he expects the United Nations Organization eventually would consider the Palestine problem.

The twelve committee members are expected to take further testimony in sessions open to the public in England. They will then go to Germany and other regions in Europe, possibly including Poland, before studying on the spot the political and economic problems of further Jewish emigration to Palestine.

Dr. Niebuhr insisted the Jews must gain a homeland of their own to prevent their obliteration as a nation and as a people. Only a Jewish consciousness that there is a state in which Jewish culture is predominant can assure their desire to maintain themselves as a people in other countries, he said. He asserted that the Jewish will to resist complete integration with other races was intensified by a consciousness that this would

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Social Notes—Montreal

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Abramson, of New York, will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Abramson, St. Urbain Street, for the week-end, and be present at the wedding of his brother, Abram Abramson, whose marriage to Miss Sadie Rosenberg, takes place on January 27.

Miss Sema Goodlin, 5382 Clark Street, left for Los Angeles, Calif., to spend three months with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. Kravitz.

Mrs. H. L. Sourkes de l'Espée Avenue, is spending a few days in Toronto, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Lonn, 882 Pratt Avenue, will return from a week's holiday at Castle des Monts, St. Agathe.

Mrs. B. Malcoff, Mr. and Mrs. William Nathanson, her son-in-law and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Moe Klein, another son-in-law and daughter, and their daughter, Cassi Lynne Klein, all of 6140 Jeanne Mance Street, returned from Toronto, Ont., where they were present at the wedding of the former's son, Samuel, to Geraldine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Greenberg, 42 Northcliffe Boulevard, Toronto, which took place in the Crystal Ballroom, King Edward Hotel, on January 15.

Miss Mary Charon, 5941 Hutchison Street, is spending a few weeks visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Paul, of Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton L. Mintz, formerly Miss Sophia Wasserman, returned from their honeymoon after a six-week motor trip to New York and Miami Beach, Florida, and have taken up residence at 6730 Darlington Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kleinberg, Davaar Avenue, have as their guests the latter's nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Becker, of Brooklyn N.Y. Mr. Becker returned from overseas, having served with the U.S.A.A.C. for nearly three years. Mrs. Becker is the granddaughter of Mrs. Anna Fox, Davaar Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Strulovitch (Strou) and daughters, Sylvia and Jacqueline, Colonial Avenue, are spending the winter in Miami Beach, Florida.

Miss Celia Bierbrier, Anderson Street, is leaving to take up residence with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kivner, of Bronx, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Borstelsky, Wiseman Avenue, left by plane to

spend two weeks in New York and Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jacobson, 4699 Esplanade Avenue, had as their guests their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bramson, and daughters, Charlotte and Pauline, of Mattapan, Mass., who were in town for the wedding of Miss Sylvia Miller, and Hyman Gerald Cooper.

Mrs. A. Malcoff, Park Avenue, returned from Toronto, Ont., where she was present at the wedding of her nephew, Samuel Malcoff, to Miss Geraldine Greenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Greenberg, 42 Northcliffe Boulevard, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Finestone, Clark Street, had as their guests the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. David Ain, of Brockville, Ont., for ten days.

Mrs. D. Kaufman and daughter, Miss Bertha Kaufman, Lajoie Avenue, returned from a two-week stay in New York and New Jersey, visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. B. Enkin, Esplanade Avenue, left on a motor trip to Miami Beach, Florida, where she will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Basevitz, 5102 Durocher Avenue, had as their guests their niece, Mrs. George Goldberg and children, Marcia and Maurice, of Winthrop, Mass., who were guests at the wedding of Miss Sylvia Miller, and Hyman Gerald Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kleinberg, Davaar Avenue, returned home from a ten-day trip to Toronto, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, and Rochester, N.Y., and St. Catharines, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Herzog.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wolfe, Dornal Avenue, are back from Chicago, Ill.

J. Tabacman, Fulton Avenue, is spending a holiday at St. Agathe.

Mrs. M. Leon, Cote St. Luc Road, left for Miami Beach, Florida.

Mrs. Joseph Cohen, Circle Road, motored to New York.

Miss Marguerite Kirsch, Vendome Avenue, is visiting friends in Boston, Mass.

Lionel Clare, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clare, 4374 Melrose Avenue, was honorably discharged after serving for four and one-half years with the R.C.A.F.

Hy. Tanenbaum, Cote St. Luc Road, is spending a holiday in St. Agathe.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hollinger, Ponceard Avenue, are spending a week in New York.

Mrs. Lily Slatkoff, of Long Island, N.Y., returned home after spending a month with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Max Usher, Decarie Boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pascal, Dornal Avenue, returned from New York.

Mrs. M. De Vries, of New York, returned home after spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Regal, Queen Mary Road.

Mr. and Mrs. William Levy, Cote St. Luc Road, returned from a

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Mrs. Sabina Vinsberg, Prud'homme Avenue, is leaving to spend a week in Ivy.

Mrs. M. Cohen and daughter, Carol, Lacombe Avenue, left on a two-month trip to California and Western Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Val. Lithwick, of Ottawa, Ont., formerly Miss Ruth Ain, of Brockville, Ont., were in town for a few days, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lithwick, Queen Mary Road.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Held, Vendome Avenue, motored to New York.

Mac Kert, Dornal Avenue, is spending the winter in Tucson, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Levin, of Raleigh, N.J., arrived by plane to visit the latter's sister, Mrs. M. H. Rosnick, Queen Mary Road.

Mr. and Mrs. David M. Notkin, 4420 Marcell Avenue, will be at home in the community hall of Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue, on Saturday, February 2, from five to eight o'clock, in honor of the bar-mitzvah of their son, Murray, who will be called to the reading of the Law at nine o'clock that morning, in the synagogue. No cards have been sent out.

Mrs. H. Hart, Olivier Avenue, returned from a three-week holiday at Ivy.

Mrs. S. Butner, Victoria Avenue, left for Florida.

Miss Adele Heyman, of New York, is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hart, Cote des Neiges Road.

Mrs. Albert Michael, Victoria Avenue, is at Ivy to stay for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Levy, Victoria Avenue, spent a holiday at Lac Brule.

Mrs. Abe Bronfman, Westmount Avenue, is spending two months in Miami, Florida.

Mrs. Max Blom, Victoria Avenue, is visiting relatives in New York for two weeks, before going to Miami Beach, Florida, where she will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. M. Ryan, of Ivy, is visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hart, Olivier Avenue.

Mrs. Max Sherman, of Morrisburg, Ont., entertained at a luncheon presentation for thirty guests, honoring Miss Sadie Rosenberg, a bride-elect of January 27, and fiancée of Abram Abramson.

Phillip Grosser, of Winnipeg, Man., arrived by plane to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grosser, 5874 Park Avenue. He was entertained at an evening by his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dan. Bloom, Willowdale Avenue.

Mrs. J. Lipson, St. Catherine Road, and D. Miller, Maplewood Avenue, gave a tea, with about thirty guests, at the Samovar, for Miss Lillian Kane, Hutchinson Street, a bride-elect of February 24, fiancée of Joseph Lipson, St. Catherine Road.

Mrs. Sydney Roseman, Clark Street; Frank Herscovitch, Park Avenue; and Larry Levy, Maplewood Avenue, were hostesses at a luncheon at the Mount Royal Hotel, with about fifty-five guests, in honor of Miss Elvie Levy, fiancée of Morris Roseman, and a bride-elect of March 3.

Irving Caplan, Park Avenue, entertained at a dinner and theatre presentation of a cheque in honor of his sister, Miss Anne Caplan, Park Avenue, fiancée of Moe Stavins, Esplanade Avenue, and a bride-elect of February 17. Five

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guests were present. The honoree wore a grey crepe dress, with black accessories.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, 3849 Arcade Street, celebrated their tenth wedding anniversary with the immediate family at a dinner and evening. Mrs. Miller wore a jersey print dress, with black accessories, and two multi-colored hair clips. Mrs. Rachel White, mother of Mrs. Miller, was in a black crepe dress, with black accessories.
Miss Irene Feigalman, Drole Street, gave a tea at Morgan's Regency Room in honor of Miss Ray Lipson, fiancée of Louis Vinegar, and a bride-elect of February 10. Mesdames Abe Gineberg, aunt of the hostess, and P. Feigalman, mother of the hostess, and Mrs. Irving Greenfeig, of New Jersey, sister of the bride, were there. The honoree was presented with a cup and saucer.
Mr. and Mrs. I. Frank, 898 St. Dominique Street, Joliette, entertained one hundred and ten guests at a dinner-dance at the Hungarian Tokay in honor of the bar-mitzvah of their son, Alan Barry. Mrs. Frank wore a black crepe afternoon dress, trimmed with peach-colored lace, and a sage of Tea roses. The tables were decorated with white and yellow pom-poms; and the birthday cake was blue and white.
Mr. and Mrs. M. Morris, 400 Henri Julien Street, held a house on the eve of the return of their sons, L/Cpl. Sol. Morris, R.C.C.S., who served for three years in England, France, Belgium, Holland, and Germany; and L/Cpl. Ralph Morris, R.C.A.F., who served overseas for two and a half years. Mr. and Mrs. Morris entertained twenty-four guests at a dinner party in honor of the turn of their sons.

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Social Notes—Montreal

Mrs. J. Brown, Clermont Street, entertained about twenty-five guests at tea for Miss Helen Cohen, a bride-elect of February 3. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. S. Reiser, Mr. and Mrs. J. Machlovitch, Mr. and Mrs. H. Heracovitch, Mr. and Mrs. J. Crystal, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Etcoovitch, Mr. and Mrs. L. Etcoovitch, Mr. and Mrs. A. Billeco, Mesdames H. Halperin, J. Etcoovitch, E. Etcoovitch, G. Kaufman, Misses Frances Etcoovitch and Molly Finklestein, and Ben Finklestein.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Finklestein, 3898 de Bullion Street, entertained at an evening in honor of Mrs. Norman Pusis, of Toronto. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. S. Reiser, Mr. and Mrs. J. Machlovitch, Mr. and Mrs. H. Heracovitch, Mr. and Mrs. J. Crystal, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Etcoovitch, Mr. and Mrs. L. Etcoovitch, Mr. and Mrs. A. Billeco, Mesdames H. Halperin, J. Etcoovitch, E. Etcoovitch, G. Kaufman, Misses Frances Etcoovitch and Molly Finklestein, and Ben Finklestein.

5310 St. Urbain Street, entertained the immediate family at dinner, in honor of their nephew, Pte. Samuel Abramovitch, R.C.O.C., who returned on the Queen Elizabeth after serving with the Canadian Army in England, Italy, Holland, Belgium, and Germany. Following the dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Marcovitch were hosts to twenty-five guests. Pte. Joseph Abramovitch, R.C.O.C., a brother of Samuel Abramovitch, is expected home shortly from overseas.

Miss Claire Rosenthal, 5245 Esplanade Avenue, entertained fifteen guests at a tea presentation of a white satin housecoat in honor of Miss Sally Sorisky, City Hall Avenue, whose marriage to Sydney Bloom, City Hall Avenue, took place on January 20. Miss Rosenthal wore a black printed crepe dress, with a corsage of red roses; Mrs. Ellis Sorisky, mother of the bride-elect, a green jersey dress, with colored sequin trimming on the bodice; Miss Sylvia Bloom, Van Horne Avenue, sister of the groom-elect, a black crepe dress; and Mrs. N. Bloom, St. Urbain Street, sister-in-law of the groom-elect, a black and rose-colored dress. The honoree wore a black and turquoise-blue dress, with a corsage of Tallman roses.

Mesdames W. Litvack, Dollard Avenue; L. A. Litvack, Victoria Avenue; and H. L. Litvack, Dur-o-cher Avenue, gave a tea at the Queen's Hotel, with about eighty-five guests, in honor of Miss Sonia Litvack, fiancée of Leo Bedell, and a bride-elect of March 3. The table centerpiece was of mixed flowers. The bride was presented with a hand-carved cocktail table. Mrs. W. Litvack received in a black crepe dress, with black accessories, and a corsage of American Beauty roses. Mrs. L. A. Litvack wore a black dress, with fuchsia-colored accessories, and a corsage of American Beauty roses, and Mrs. H. L. Litvack wore a grey print dress, grey accessories, and a corsage of red roses. The honoree wore a multi-colored hat accented with grey, grey accessories, and a corsage of Tallman roses.

Those who entertained for Mrs. Sydney Silverman, formerly Miss Anita Cohen, were: Mrs. Reuben Cohen, at a tea at the Queen's Hotel; Mrs. Ben Silverman, tea presentation at the Queen's Hotel; Mrs. Charles Golt, luncheon; Mrs. Manny Lewis, tea presentation at Eaton's; Mrs. Moe Gittnick, Madison Avenue, supper presentation; Mrs. Myer Yegod, tea presentation at the Ritz Carlton Hotel; Mrs. Sydney Davis, tea presentation at Eaton's; Mrs. Samuel Golt and Mrs. M. L. Golt, tea presentation at the Queen's Hotel; Mrs. Jack Jacobson, Duquesne Avenue, tea presentation; Miss Mildred Etcoovitch and Lily Gordon, tea presentation at Eaton's; Mrs. Max Kolber, Stuart Avenue, tea presentation; Miss Bertha Reisinger, luncheon presentation at Morgan's; Miss Ruth Marks, luncheon presentation at Morgan's; Mrs. E. T. Herbert and Mrs. Jack Heller, tea presentation at Eaton's; Mrs. Laure Magill and Mrs. I. Shier, tea presentation at Eaton's; Mrs. Aaron Feldman, tea presentation at Eaton's; Miss Myrna Dolgy, luncheon presentation at Eaton's; Miss Becky Cohen, Hutchinson Street, tea presentation; Miss Gertrude Koflik, tea presentation at Morgan's; and Mrs. S. Warsaw, Soissons Avenue, tea presentation.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Heracovitch, Villeneuve Street West, were hosts at a dinner and dance at Beth David Community Hall to one hundred and sixty guests in honor of the bar-mitzvah of their son, Peter, who was called to the Reading of the Law, at Tainer Synagogue, where kiddush was served to seventy-five guests. The hall was decorated with cut flowers, carnations, chrysanthemums, and ferns. The head table was centered with flowers and a birthday cake.

Mrs. N. Heracovitch received in a silver-grey crepe dinner dress, trimmed with rhinestones, with headpiece of feather sprays, and a corsage of mauve orchids. Mrs. Hona Ligg-r, maternal grandmother of the bar-mitzvah boy, wore an afternoon dress of black crepe, trimmed with sequins, a black felt hat, and a corsage of roses. Bentin Harshcovitch, great-uncle of the bar-mitzvah boy, was toast-master. Peter spoke and Reverend J. Aspler thanked him. An orchestra played during the dinner. Out-of-town guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. L. Tarter, of Port Arthur, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. M. Glick, of Revere, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. I. Glick, of Malden, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. W. Silverberg, Morris M. Silverberg, and Miss Ruth Silverberg, all of Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Heracovitch entertained Peter's friends the day after he was called to the Reading of the Law.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosen, 747a Champagne Avenue, celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary at a buffet supper party for fifty people, members of the immediate family and friends. Receiving, Mrs. Rosen wore a black dress, with blue insertions on the shoulder, and a corsage of pink carnations. Assisting in receiving were their children, Saul, and Miss Betty Rosen, the latter wearing a black and blue dress, with black sequin trimming on the bodice, and a corsage of pink carnations. Mr. Rosen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rosen, 4477 Esplanade Avenue, the latter wearing a black dress, with blue insertions trimmed with black beading on the shoulders, and a corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Rosen's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Heracovitch, 3008 Maplewood Avenue, were there, the latter wearing a printed silk dress, with costume jewellery trimming; Mrs. Philip Heracovitch, Laval Avenue, a sister-in-law, in a black dress, beaded in a rose-pattern; Mr. Rosen's sister, Mrs. I. Zimmerman, Wilder Avenue, the latter wearing a black dress, with pink and blue insertions on the bodice. Philip Heracovitch, Mrs. Rosen's brother, and I. Zimmerman, Mr. Rosen's brother-in-law, were unable to be there. Their nephews and nieces who were present were: Mr. and Mrs. S. Teitelbaum, Park Avenue, the latter wearing a black suit, trimmed in American Beauty-red; Mr. and Mrs. H. Singer, Park Avenue, the latter wearing a black crepe dress, with costume jewellery trimming; Miss Jean Heracovitch, Park Avenue, in a black dress, with rose-colored trimming and black bows on the bodice; Saul Heracovitch, Laval Avenue, and Myrna Zimmerman, Wilder Avenue.

The table was centered with an anniversary cake, which was white, trimmed with pink, and a white horseshoe, silver-colored leaves, and a silver-colored inscription reading, "Congratulations On Your Twenty-Fifth Anniversary." The centerpiece was made up of roses, carnations, daffodils, tulips, and chrysanthemums; with silver candlesticks holding white tapered tapers with white ribbons, and there were white ribbon streamers and green leaves on the table. Presentations were made to the host and hostess, both of whom spoke in thanks.

MONTREAL MEETINGS

● Lavy M. Becker, 4092 Lacombe Avenue, former director of the Y.M.H.A., who is overseas with the staff of the Joint Distribution Committee, is now in Munich, in charge of the Third Army District, comprising all of Bavaria. His assignment is to develop inter-agency relations between the Army, UNRRA, and local civilians. The district is the largest and most active section for J.D.C. work with displaced persons and refugees, where a large number of camps are being put up by the U. S. Army to house refugees from Poland. Mr. Becker, a former USO director in New England, is a Rabbi and an educator, able to speak Yiddish and Hebrew. His wife resides at 4092 Lacombe Avenue.

● SARA LERNER Sewing Circle met at the home of Mrs. S. Litner, 5828 Durocher Avenue. A silver loving-cup was presented by Mrs. S. Weiser to Joseph Samuel Litner, son of Major and Mrs. David Litner, and a great-grandson of the late Mrs. Sara Lerner. Mrs. Litner, his mother, and Mrs. J. Livis, his grandmother, donated \$5 for it. Mrs. A. Levy thanked the

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hostess who was assisted in serving by her daughters, Mesdames M. Levy and B. Nusselman. Another meeting was held at the home of Mrs. C. Hubacher, Hutchinson Street. The hostess and her daughter, Mrs. H. Lazare, were congratulated on the return of the hostess' son-in-law, Hy. Lazare, who served for three years overseas with the Canadian Army. Mrs. S. Adelman was congratulated on the marriage, on January 6, of her daughter, Tillie, to Ben. Spears. \$5 was donated to the group. Mrs. H. Heller thanked the hostess. Mrs. Charles Grosser presided.

dent; Mrs. S. Mendelson, D. Josef-efsky, Mesdames S. Solomon, M. Spivack, D. Teasher; H. Etcoovitch, M. Spivack. Mrs. S. Solomon, 4287 Esplanade Avenue, donated a cake, with lighted candles, to celebrate the organization's twelfth anniversary. \$40 was donated. The Fund is being re-organized, and plans to help orphaned children in Europe. Councilor L. Beas was guest of honor; H. Etcoovitch, toastmaster. Mrs. M. Teasher entertained.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Solomon, 2810 St. Urbain Street, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Roslyn, to Harry, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham I. Zukernick, Clark Street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Shier, Clark Street, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Lily, to Joseph, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Tittelman, Colonial Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Margolian, of Yarmouth, N.S., announce the engagement of their daughter, Shirley, to George Beiner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Beiner, St. Urbain Street, the marriage to take place on March 17, at the Mount Royal Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. George Freeman, Joyce Avenue, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Eileen Shirley, to Maurice Diamond, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Diamond, Edward Charles Street, the marriage to take place in September.

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● MONTREAL MEETINGS ●

● Mr. and Mrs. I. Frank, 389 St. Dominique Street, Jonquiere, gave a dinner to honor their son, Allan Barry, who was bar-mitzvah. Twenty guests were present, donating \$125 for the United Jewish Refugees and War Relief Agencies, which was sent to the Canadian Jewish Review for delivery.

● CANADIAN FRIENDS OF THE Hebrew University. Montreal Chapter, will hold their annual dinner meeting at the Hotel Doré, Mount Royal Hotel, on Wednesday evening, January 30. Dr. I. S. Wechsler, clinical professor of neurology at Columbia University; chief neurologist at Mount Sinai

THE MONTREAL JEWISH NATIONAL FUND

The Montreal Jewish National Fund acknowledges receipt of the following sums and takes this opportunity of thanking all contributors and J.N.F. Workers for their efforts on behalf of Geulah Ha'aretz.

\$100.00 from the Rachel Blostein group of the Pioneer Women for a Golden Book Inscription in the name of Mrs. Freda Zinnman.

Through Mrs. H. Ungar of the Goldie Myerson Group, \$25.00 for a Sefer Bar Mitzvah in the name of Sydney Kerahner and \$10.00 collected from Mr. Sam Krupp.

Through Mr. N. Freidman, president of the Zetzi Death Vedath Synagogue \$81.00.

Through Mr. M. Abramowitz of the Geulah Lodge \$25.00 for an inscription in the Sefer Bar Mitzvah of Stanley, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Sager.

Mr. M. Kaplan of the Poale Zion brought in \$26.00 for a Sefer Bar Mitzvah inscription in the name of Miler Weinstein.

Through the Zelig Wolfstsky Br. J.N.W.A., \$10.00 for 7 trees and \$25.00 for an inscription in honour of Sydney Prinstein's Bar Mitzvah.

\$10.00 from the Judith Chapter of Hadasah for an inscription in the Sefer Haysel of Ziporah Edelberg.

Through the Moineath Group, Pioneer Women \$95.00.

Mr. M. Rissman of the Geulah Lodge sent in \$25.00 from Mr. J. Nadler for a dunam of land, and a personal contribution of \$5.00.

\$10.00 was sent in by Mrs. I. Left of the Mirachi Org. for the purchase of trees.

\$11.00 by Mr. H. Giltman of the Dr. Chaim Zlotovskiy Br., J.N.W.A. for a Sefer Haysel in the name of Heli Caplan.

Migdal Group, Pioneer Women, \$100.00 for a Golden Book Certificate.

Mr. H. H. Grover sent in \$7.50 for trees on Chasidish Outfit.

Hospital, New York; and consulting neurologist to the Montefiore Hospital, New York, will be guest speaker. He is the author of standard textbooks in medical subjects; and a vice-president of the American Neurology Association; and member of the Board of Governors of the Hebrew University. He recently attended a meeting of the board, in London, England, and has been to Palestine twice in the interests of the Hebrew University. Dr. Ezra Losinski is president of the Montreal Chapter; Lawrence Lunde, secretary. Allan Brantman is national president.

● UNITED Talmud Torahs of Montreal has extended its appeal to January 29 to obtain the \$97,300 objective. Ben. Deutel, vice-chairman, announced, David Becker and Max Seigler, chairmen of special names, together with R. M. Leloff and Samuel Shiff, vice-chairmen, are re-allocating prospect cards in an attempt to balance immediate returns. Key men of special names are: B. Aaron, L. K. Caplan, Leon Crenohl, J. Eliezer, W. R. Friedman, Max Jacobson, A. A. Katz, S. L. Kert, Harry Kirsch, Ben. Nadler, L. M. Naimen, Mortimer Schwartz, Jerry Seigal, Louis Sendel, M. H. Starr.

● SONS OF ISRAEL Organization: Grand open assembly is on Monday, February 4, at 8.45 p.m., at headquarters, Waverley Masonic Hall, 6110 Park Avenue. Joseph Nadler, president, will be chairman. Rabbi Chaim N. Dvorkin will be guest speaker. Topic: "Shaping Our Destiny". Two March Of Time films will be shown, one on Palestine. Entertainment, refreshments; everyone invited.

● MOUNT SINAI Sanitarium Unit No. 81 social and card party on Sunday, January 27, at Park Dance Studio, 1367 Van Horne Avenue, will have Mrs. M. Schwartz as convener; hostesses, Mesdames D. Brownman, M. Davis, J. Leibovitch, A. Miller, M. Panoff, H. Lanner, J. Singer. Door prize and entertainment. Everyone welcome.

● PIONEER Women's Organization twenty-fifth celebration of Histadrut, in conjunction with the Histadrut campaign, will be held on Monday evening, January 28, in the Jewish People's Schools, Mrs. M. Surchin presiding. David Wertheim, of New York, will be the speaker. New members will be installed. Mrs. J. Wilder will report on the campaign.

● HADASAH Chapters meeting Monday, January 28, at 2.30, are: Adath Israel, at the home of Mrs. S. G. Bendon, 58 Belmont Avenue; Hebrew Class at 1.30; Central, at the home of Mrs. S. Wiseman, 640 McEachran Avenue; Kadimah, at the home of Mrs. E. Littner, 768 McEachran Avenue; Miriam Brainin Ortenberg, at the Jewish House, Mrs. M. B. Goldstein and Mrs. S. Segal, hostesses; Nair Tamid, bridge and mah jong, at the home of Mrs. H. Pollett, 4046 Northcliffe Avenue; North End, at the home of Mrs. F. Rusk, 5718 St. Urbain Street; Queen Esther, at the home of Mrs. S. Kalman, 627 Bloemfield Avenue; Rachel Levinson, at Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue, Mrs. L. Cohen, hostess; Mrs. Benjamin Bernfeld, guest speaker; Shema Zion, bridge and mah jong, at the home of Mrs. J. Blumkin, 3837 Girouard Avenue; Young Ladies' Zionist, at the home of Mrs. M. Myerson, 6236 Cote St. Luc Road; Deborah, at the home of Mrs. L. Jason, 781 Rockland Avenue, in honor of the bar-mitzvah of her son, Hilliard Jason. Chapters meeting Monday, at 8.30, are: Dobs Shiller, at the home of Mrs. A. Segal, 675 Wilder Avenue; Rachel Anna Leavy, at the home of Mrs. M. Atlas, 6834 Clark Street; Rachel Lea Ethel, at the home of Mrs. J. Glasman, 4570 Papineau Avenue; Shoshana, at the Jewish House, Mesdames E. Carpmann, L. Chazan, I. Heller, H. Lupovich, hostesses. Chapter meeting Tuesday, at 2.30, is: Emma Israel, at the home of Mrs. R. Rozen, 151 Villeneuve Street West. Chap-

● BNAI BRITH Mount Royal Women's Auxiliary, Mrs. Harry S. Miller, president, and Mrs. George Klein, convener, is giving a Menorah dinner-dance at the Normandie Roof, Mount Royal Hotel, on January 27, with these additional subscribers: Mr. and Mrs. F. Brenner, Mr. and Mrs. H. Burafsky, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bloom, Mr. and Mrs. L. Bock, Mr. and Mrs. S. Bellam, Mr. and Mrs. I. Fishman, Sydney Friedman, Mr. and Mrs. D. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. S. Galt, Mr. and Mrs. R. Glaser, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gottlieb, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kraus, Mr. and Mrs. E. Leiffer, Mr. and Mrs. E. Levine, Mr. and Mrs. B. Lipsey, Mr. and Mrs. R. Loitman, Mr. and Mrs. D. Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. H. Langsner, Mr. and Mrs. L. Litvak, Mr. and Mrs. S. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. S. Moranta, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Marcovitch, Mr. and Mrs. I. Mauer, Mr. and Mrs. M. Nadler, Mr. and Mrs. H. Nadler, Mr. and Mrs. N. Nemeroff, Mr. and Mrs. M. Packard, Mr. and Mrs. R. Pervin, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Schaffer, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stettner, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Spunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. L. Small, Mr. and Mrs. J. Shulick, Mr. and Mrs. M. Tildeman, Dr. and Mrs. H. Tishman, Mr. and Mrs. N. Vassal, Mr. and Mrs. J. Waxman, Mr. and Mrs. S. Zanger.

● TEMPLE EMANUEL, Dr. Harry J. Stern, Rabbi: Services, Friday, January 25, at 8.15. Sermon: "The Fourth Commandment." Saturday, at 11.30. Sermon: "The Fifth Commandment." The fifth annual institute for Christian Clergy and Educators will be held at the Temple with Professor Israel Berton, of the Hebrew Union College, distinguished Jewish scholar, as lecturer. Theme: "The Sermon on the Synagogue, Yesterday and Today." Montreal theologians are co-operating with Dr. Stern.

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ters meeting Tuesday, at 8.30, are: Bialik, at the home of Mrs. M. Caplan, 4801 Dornal Avenue; Edith Kanigberg, at the home of Miss Ethel Gorkinkle, 3015 Sherbrooke Street West; Esther Rachel Naverigh, annual bridge, at Judaea House, Mrs. N. Koslisky and Mrs. A. Bell will preside; Judith, at 5 Marie Anne Street East, Mrs. R. Feigelman and Mrs. S. Lifschitz, hostesses. Chapter meeting Wednesday, at 8.30, is: Shaindel Gordon, at the home of Mrs. M. Cohen, 1643 Ducharme Avenue.

● NATIONAL COUNCIL of Jewish Women: Mrs. Benjamin Robinson, Forden Crescent; Mrs. Philip Fram, Willowdale Avenue; Mrs. J. J. Jacobs, Cote St. Antoine Road, were in Toronto, Ont., to attend the triennial convention of the National Council of Jewish Women.

● Nat. W. Jacobs, K.C., will deliver a radio broadcast over Station CFCF on Saturday, January 26, at 7.45 p.m., on: "Meet the Criminal", auspices of the City Improvement League and the Municipal Service.

● RED CROSS Jewish Branch will hold their sixth annual meeting, at 2.30 p.m., on Wednesday, February 13, in the Y.M.H.A., at a tea, with Mrs. Samuel Brantman, O.B.E., president, as hostess. Guest speaker will be announced later. No individual invitations are being sent.

● BNAI BRITH Mount Royal Women's Auxiliary, Mrs. Harry S. Miller, president, and Mrs. George Klein, convener, is giving a Menorah dinner-dance at the Normandie Roof, Mount Royal Hotel, on January 27, with these additional subscribers: Mr. and Mrs. F. Brenner, Mr. and Mrs. H. Burafsky, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bloom, Mr. and Mrs. L. Bock, Mr. and Mrs. S. Bellam, Mr. and Mrs. I. Fishman, Sydney Friedman, Mr. and Mrs. D. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. S. Galt, Mr. and Mrs. R. Glaser, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gottlieb, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kraus, Mr. and Mrs. E. Leiffer, Mr. and Mrs. E. Levine, Mr. and Mrs. B. Lipsey, Mr. and Mrs. R. Loitman, Mr. and Mrs. D. Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. H. Langsner, Mr. and Mrs. L. Litvak, Mr. and Mrs. S. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. S. Moranta, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Marcovitch, Mr. and Mrs. I. Mauer, Mr. and Mrs. M. Nadler, Mr. and Mrs. H. Nadler, Mr. and Mrs. N. Nemeroff, Mr. and Mrs. M. Packard, Mr. and Mrs. R. Pervin, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Schaffer, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stettner, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Spunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. L. Small, Mr. and Mrs. J. Shulick, Mr. and Mrs. M. Tildeman, Dr. and Mrs. H. Tishman, Mr. and Mrs. N. Vassal, Mr. and Mrs. J. Waxman, Mr. and Mrs. S. Zanger.

● TEMPLE EMANUEL, Dr. Harry J. Stern, Rabbi: Services, Friday, January 25, at 8.15. Sermon: "The Fourth Commandment." Saturday, at 11.30. Sermon: "The Fifth Commandment." The fifth annual institute for Christian Clergy and Educators will be held at the Temple with Professor Israel Berton, of the Hebrew Union College, distinguished Jewish scholar, as lecturer. Theme: "The Sermon on the Synagogue, Yesterday and Today." Montreal theologians are co-operating with Dr. Stern.

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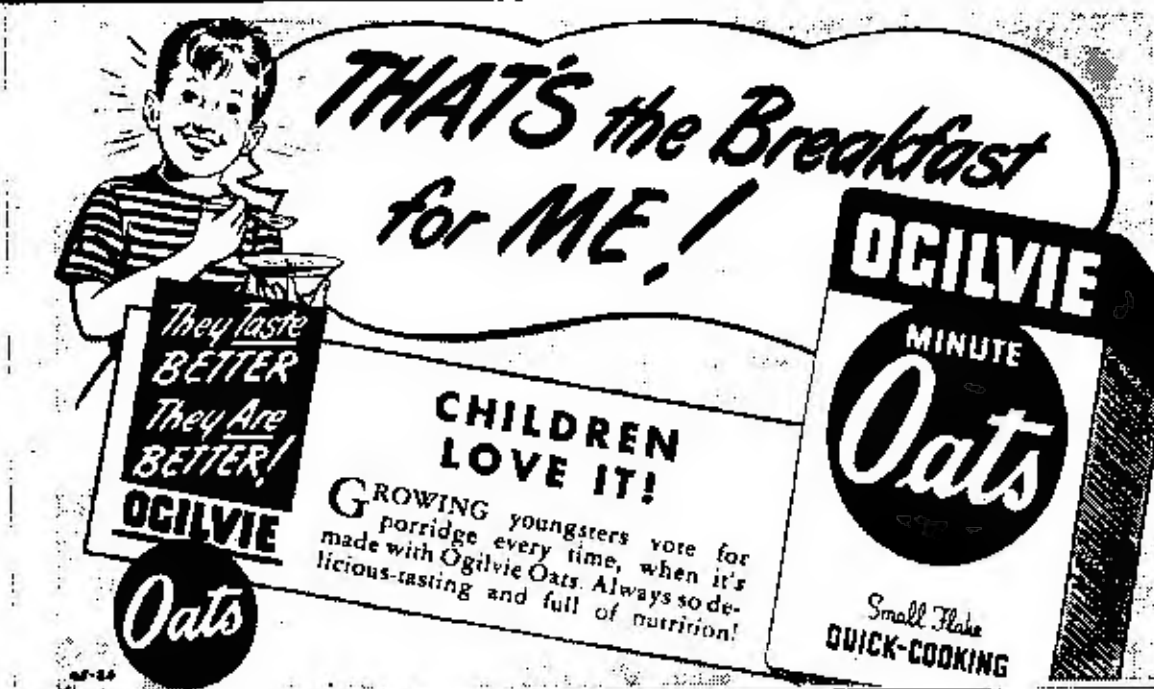
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Surgeon-Commander Harry L. Bacal, R.C.N.V.R., retired, 4590 Isabelle Avenue, Montreal, was awarded an M.B.E. in the King's New Year's Honors List. Surgeon-Commander Bacal was formerly organizer and medical officer in charge of the Royal Canadian Naval Well-Baby Health Services and Consultant-in-Allergy at the R.C.N. Hospital, H.M.C.S. Stadacona, in Halifax, N.S. Commander Bacal who was recently discharged, was in the service since 1941, and has resumed his staff appointments at McGill University Medical School; Children's Memorial Hospital, Jewish General Hospital and the Royal Victoria Hospital. Commander and Mrs. Bacal have two children, Howard, twelve, and Nancy, eight.



Harvey, aged two years, and Adele, six, are the children of Mr. and Mrs. A. Sternthal, 4926 Victoria Avenue, Montreal; grandchildren of Mrs. B. Schick, 6045 Durocher Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. H. Sternthal, 1120 Bernard Avenue West.



Mrs. Samuel Zlotnick, and daughter, Rona, nearly two, 4500 Hutchison Street, Montreal; grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Trachtenberg, 4848 Esplanade Avenue; and of Mrs. K. Zlotnik, of Brooklyn, N.Y., and the late Mr. Zlotnik; great-grand-daughter of Mrs. C. Fagen, 63 St. Joseph Boulevard West.



Donald, aged two, left, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Singer, 5460 Park Avenue, Montreal; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. B. Gassoi, Wellington Street; and of Mrs. Ida Singer, de Bullion Street, and the late David Singer.



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Myrna, nearly five, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Teitelbaum, 4735 St. Catherine Road, Montreal; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Teitelbaum, 5219 Hutchison Street; and of Mr. and Mrs. M. Mendel, 798 McEachran Avenue.



Sandra Adele, nearly three, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Caplan, 4896 St. Dominique Street, Montreal; granddaughter of Max Abramovitch, 5308 St. Urbain Street; and of the late Mrs. Sophie Abramovitch; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Caplan, of Montreal.

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Marvin, aged eight months, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Katz, 4341 Clark Street, Montreal; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. H. Evans, 4341 Clark Street; and of Mr. and Mrs. H. Katz, 5385 St. Urbain Street; great-grandson of Mr. and Mrs. M. Samiel, 4996 de Grandpré Street, and of Mrs. H. Belkin, of Brooklyn, N.Y.

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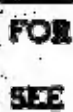
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ago, and her bouquet was arranged in cascade style, with pale yellow and pink-tipped carnations. Miss Elinor H. Brown, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, wearing a candy-pink crepe dress, cut with a round neckline, short sleeves, and a long, straight skirt, slit in front. Her headpiece was of three matching plumes, and she had long matching gloves and carried a cascade bouquet of Joanna Hill roses. Morris Miller, of Noranda, and Montreal, was best man. The chapel was decorated with large white chrysanthemums and palms, and similar decoration was used in the community hall, for the reception. Mrs. M. N. Fineberg played organ music for the ceremony. The bride's table was centered with pastel-shaded and white chrysanthemums, and white tapered in silver candlesticks. Mrs. Brown, mother of the bride, received in a floor-length gown of cyclamen-blue crepe, with a draped bodice, and long flowing skirt, with a matching ostrich feather hat, and gloves; and a corsage of Sweetheart roses. Dr. and Mrs. Harold N. Segall, Cite des Neiges Road, who had acted for the groom's father, were receiving with the bride party, the latter wearing a floor-length black silk gown, with a flowing skirt, white flowered hat and white gloves, and a corsage of Joanna Hill roses. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Freedman, Kingsington Avenue, grandparents of the bride, were present, the latter wearing a long brown lace dress, with a flowered hat and a corsage of Joanna Hill roses. The bride couple went to Ottawa, Ont., the bride traveling in an American Beauty-red suit, with powder-blue accessories and a sable-dyed muskrat coat. Mr. and Mrs. Weiss will live at 4201 Decarie Boulevard. Mr. Weiss is doing research work in biology at McGill University, where he is scheduled to receive his Ph.D. degree at the spring convocation. From out-of-town were: Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Simons and daughter, Miss Elinor Simons, uncle, aunt, and cousin of the bride, of Medford, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Al. Bernstein, her uncle and aunt, of Newton, Mass.; and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Barnett, of Hamilton, Ont., her uncle and aunt.

EIDINGER-WEINHOLTZ

The marriage of Miss Sally Weinholz, only daughter of Mrs. Rebecca Weinholz, 3990 Drolet Street, to Ben. Eidinger, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Eidinger, 180 St. Valier Street, Quebec City, took place on Sunday, December 9, at half-past six o'clock, at New Beth Yehuda Synagogue, Reverend L. Syrek officiating. The bride, given in marriage by Mr. and Mrs. D. Ash, of Quebec City, wore a floor-length gown of white satin, with a sweetheart neckline, long pointed sleeves, fitted bodice, and a full skirt finishing in a long train. Her long veil of tulle flared from a Juliet cap, and she carried a Bible adorned with gardenias, lilacs-of-the-valley, roses, white pompons, and white satin streamers. Miss Sarah Eidinger, of Quebec City, sister of the groom, as maid of honor, wore a gown of pink net, with a sweetheart neckline, cap

sleeves, and matching net gloves; and her headpiece was shaped into rosettes made of pink net. She carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses. The bridesmaids were: Mrs. J. Savage, in a floor-length gown of mauve net, with a round neckline and matching gloves; Misses Patty Blanch, in blue net, over a taffeta slip, with a sweetheart neckline, and matching gloves; Ethel Vener, in blue net, over a satin slip, with a round neckline, and matching gloves; Jenny Eidinger, of Quebec City, sister of the groom, in blue net over a satin slip, with a sweetheart neckline, and matching gloves; and Sadia Geniele, in a pink net and lace dress with a low sweetheart neckline, fitted lace bodice, and matching gloves. They had matching headpieces shaped into rosettes made of matching net, and carried nosegays of carnations, roses, chrysanthemums, and pompons. Samuel Eidinger, of Quebec City, brother of the groom, was best man. Ushers were: J. Savage; Edward and Morris Ash, of Quebec City, cousins of the groom; Joseph Weinholz, brother of the bride; and Ben Zion Eidinger, of Quebec City, brother of the groom. The hall was decorated with ferns and chrysanthemums. There was choir music and the wedding march was played on the organ. "Because" was sung. Three hundred guests were received in the community hall of the Synagogue. The bride's table held a centerpiece of ferns, roses, and carnations, and the other tables were decorated with ferns and variegated flowers. Mrs. Weinholz, mother of the bride, received in a floor-length gown of black net, trimmed with black sequins, a black hat made of ostrich feathers, and a corsage of American Beauty roses. Mrs. Eidinger, mother of the groom, received in a floor-length gown of black net, trimmed with gold sequins, a hat made of mauve ostrich feathers, and a corsage of Joanna Hill roses. The bride and groom spent their honeymoon in the Laurentian Mountains, the bride traveling in a blue wool dress, with a brown muskrat coat, brown accessories, and a corsage of orchids. They will reside in Quebec City. Out-of-town guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Ash, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Ash, Mr. and Mrs. M. Pagan, Mr. and Mrs. M. Karp, Mr. and Mrs. M. Skolnick, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mogil, Mr. and Mrs. I. Shmelman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Grossbaum, Mr. and Mrs. E. Shiber, Mesdames M. Karp, H.

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second to be formed in Toronto, saw over one hundred charter members join at their first meeting, at the Royal York Hotel. Provisional officers: Philip Giverts, president; Louis Enchin, Arthur Signor, Cyril Houser, Sydney Midanik, Robert Rotenberg, Herbert Krieger, Mac Toplin, Sydney Roth, Harold Madorsky, Joseph Rosen, Leon E. Weinstein and Abbey A. Muter were thanked for their aid in forming the new branch. Michael F. Ellis, of Buffalo, N.Y., was guest speaker.

● SENIOR Y. P. L. will meet on Sunday, January 27, at Goul Tsadek Synagogue, at 8.30 p.m. Guest speaker will be Albert Shea, lecturer in political science at the University of Toronto, and formerly with the R.C.A.P. Captain George X. Trimble will introduce the speaker.

● SONS OF DAVID Mutual Benefit Society annual membership stag will be held on Saturday, January 26, at nine p.m., at Workmen's Circle Building. All are invited, ages twenty-one to fifty-five. Reservations with M. Burgess, secretary, W.A. 3761. D. Yaffe is president.

● MIZRACHI Women's Organization will hear Mrs. Shulamith Wald, of New York, national vice-president of Mizrahi Women's Organisation of America, at the membership dinner to be given by Deborah and Menorah chapters, on Tuesday, January 29, at Murray House. Mrs. Meyer Rotenberg will be chairman. Committee: Meadamas N. Sokol, H. Goldberg, H. Saib, H. Frankel.

● BADASSAH: Junior Badassah will present "Vanities For 1946" at the Jewish Centre Auditorium, on February 2, in aid of Hadassah post-war and rehabilitation fund. Cast: Miss Molly Fruchtman, master of ceremonies; Louis Rosen, Misses Esther Gehlens, Zena Cheevers, Shirley Lerner; M. Garber. Patrons are: Babbi and Mrs. Wilf Katz Dravitz, Mayer and Mrs. Robert Schneider, Lady Kahn, Koverand and Mrs. F. Delprat, Mr. and Mrs. I. Kay, Mrs. J. Mandel, Charles and Rosemary, Mrs. Ben Katz, Mrs. Goldstein, Mrs. Samson, Mrs. David.

day of Shevat, 1941. Ever remembered by her husband; daughters, Ida and Freda; and son-in-law, Louis.

Card Of Thanks

Iring and Dolly Brody wish to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to their many friends and neighbors for their kind expressions of sympathy during the recent sad bereavement.

Mrs. A. B. Winston wishes to thank her relatives and friends for their kindness and expressions of sympathy during her recent bereavement in the loss of her dear father, Adolph Soumy Schenker.

The Cadeaky family wish to thank their relatives and friends for their kindness and expressions of sympathy during their recent sad bereavement in the loss of their dear father, Jacob Cadeaky.

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Commentaries

By Dr. Harry J. Stern, Rabbi

A New Spirit For The New Age

(Radio Address by Rabbi Dr. Harry J. Stern, Temple Emanu-El, Montreal, given over the Canadian Broadcasting System, Religious Period Program.)

Friends, I should like to speak with you on the theme, "A New Spirit For The New Age." Our text is taken from Ezekiel Chapter 18:31:

"Cast away from you all your transgressions, wherein ye have transgressed; and make you a new heart and a new spirit: for why will ye die, O house of Israel?"

It has been given to our generation to witness the birth of a new age upon earth. That day last August, when the atomic bomb was dropped upon Hiroshima, in a single moment of time, man's most cherished institutions of behaviour were rendered obsolete, and a new age was here. This is Year One in the atomic age. The world is now running on Atomic Time. Alas, what a pity that the majority of us have made painfully little progress in atomic thinking. The scientists who are "in the know" are frightened. If the scientists are frightened because they have cracked open the illimitable arsenal of atomic energy, there is good reason for all of us to be terribly concerned. We therefore ask, where do we go from the atomic bomb?

Our world is in a crisis. Material inventions have outpaced moral progress. While science has given us physical power, we need something to control this power. We need spiritual power to handle the physical.

There is no quinquity that this frightful hour in human history calls for repentance. Our world, if it is to be saved from ruin, must spiritually match its material progress. Can our society cast away its transgressions and create for itself a new heart and soul? Verily, this is an hour which calls for great religion so that the atomic age becomes a blessing and not a curse.

The human mind is made up of levels of ideas and notions. Even as archaeologists in their careful diggings downward amidst ruins of ancient cities, watch for the levels of civilization and often find one city beneath another, and beneath that a still more ancient ruin, it is equally true of the mind of mankind. It is a heap of broken ideas. The student of human thought and emotion, when he carefully searches in the mind's debris, discovers that some ideas are fairly recent, while other notions and evil ideas belong to a very low ancient level in the realm of human experience.

Now one of the oldest of human sins which belongs in the lowest level of the human mind experience is brotherlessness. This sin is evidenced in dialike for a fellow-man who differs from us in language, race or creed; it is evidenced in prejudice and in the manifestations of hate. It is difficult to find that remote period in history when mankind was free from brotherlessness. This transgression is so ancient that it is found echoed on the very first pages of the Holy Scriptures in the dramatic query of Cain, "Am I my brother's keeper?" Throughout history man has stubbornly refused to live by the law of love and instead has indulged in the love of hate. World War II, among other things, was a war against hatred, against the deliberate use of the merchandise of hate to poison the minds of one group of the earth's people against another.

Throughout the ages lonely and suffering prophets have protested against hate and prejudice, but, alas, their voices proved to be voices crying in the wilderness. Listen to the soul-stirring plea of Malachi ringing down through the centuries: "Have we not all one father? Hath not One God created us? Why do we deal treacherously every man against his brother?"

As I speak to you this day, delegates of fifty-one countries are assembled in London, in search of world brotherhood. We all must pray for the success of this historic United Nations Assembly and all of us must resolve to sacrifice for brotherhood and peace, even as we have sacrificed for war. In the challenging words of James Oppenheim we ask:

"Would you end war?"

Create great peace —

The peace that demands all of a man.

His love, his life, his very self;

Compel him to serve,

Give him a hard peace; a peace of discipline and justice.

Go search your heart, America.

Turn from the machine to man.

Build while there is yet time a creative peace —

While there is yet time!

For if you reject peace,

As surely as vile living brings disease,

So surely shall your selfishness bring war."

Alas! We recognize the obstacles in the building of world brotherhood and in the building of the new home for humanity on earth; the obstacles of pessimism, nationalism, militarism and imperialism. We cannot afford to underestimate their ponderous weight. But, difficult as the old sin of brotherlessness may be to eradicate, brotherhood has a very good chance now of being established. The developments in the science of communication have made it possible to make world citizenship practical. World order before the 20th century was more hopeful than practical, but today, we have the immediate instruments of law enforcement and the immediate instruments of influencing public opinion in the cause of world order. We can now surely build a world founded on understanding and justice, for the atomic bomb is a challenging warning that either we have one world or no world! Hence the summons comes to nations as well as to individuals, "Cast away from you the sin of hate and make you a new heart and a new spirit."

In our personal lives we must resolve to combat these every-day hates which we know as anti-Semitism, anti-Protestantism, anti-Catholicism and anti-Semitism. We of the household of Israel, who are the constant victims of mankind's hate, will know the taste of brotherhood. We have it, more than any other

every friday

"Sometimes when people condemn me,
I tell them without rancor
That for what I said to be free,
I might have had an ancestor."

The forty-eighth annual convention of the Zionist Organization of America, held in Atlantic City in November, passed a political resolution which accused the British Government of calculated fraud with respect to Jewish rights in Palestine; of utilizing and directing the discontent of the Arabs into anti-Zionist and anti-Jewish channels to serve British imperialism; and said: "The British Government is driving loyal Jewish Palestine to resistance in defense of its rights. Its struggle is our own. We will extend it every assistance."

A news release to this paper, intended for publication on December 7, said: "A National Conference on Palestine, dedicated to resisting the illegal British edicts restricting Jewish land purchase in the Jewish National Home, has been summoned for the first week in January," and went on to quote Judge Morris Rothenberg, president of the Jewish National Fund of America, as follows, in part: "Our fight, which has the support of enlightened public opinion everywhere, is proceeding along two fronts, on Palestine's seacoast through which the immigration of the survivors continues despite the British inhuman edicts and acts that would shut the doors in their faces; and on the land front... to reclaim the soil..."

Early in November, before these American Zionist meetings, civil disobedience and mass resistance had become the policy of the Palestine settlement, differentiating, however, from the sporadic terrorist outbreaks of small extremist groups. The Hagannah, semi-official Jewish defense organization, attacked the concentration camp at Athlit, and released the "illegal" immigrants, and on November 1 it destroyed the railway lines when it learned of a planned Arab attack. So, if the struggle of the settlement is the struggle of the Zionist Organization of America, by its own declaration, then orthodox Zionism is now a resistance movement, particularly since Zionist leaders in other countries have voiced the same sentiments. They have taken the view that it is not illegal for Jews to enter Palestine and have declared that they will not permit refugees to be isolated in detention camps in that country.

This column, as an observer, is not concerned here with such implications as the possible future status of Zionist organizations, leaders, and travelling emissaries; the participation of contributors throughout the world in a Jewish resistance movement; or the unity or disunity that a resistance policy might effect among Zionists themselves within their organizations; or any such aspect. It is only interested at this time in the fact of resistance itself in Palestine and how and by whom it is carried on on the spot, since there must be some confusion about it.

What the Jewish Resistance Movement means to do was outlined early in December over the illegal Voice of Israel radio in Hebrew and in English. The speaker said in part: "The Government now fully understands... that resistance to its policy is inflexible and determined and is waged by fully responsible elements. The Yishuv now constitutes in this country a factor on which it will be difficult to foist a policy of repression... Governments which have an acceptable, upright policy do not need to resort to arms... Undoubtedly, the Government forces can win in a straight trial of strength, since the Jews have no tanks or planes. The Government wants to provoke and lure the Yishuv into a decisive struggle. The shorter this struggle is the stronger the Government will be. But our intention is to wage a prolonged struggle; the longer it is, the brighter our prospects... The Yishuv must act with organized, disciplined determination... The underground movements in Europe, seeking liberation from the Nazis during the war, always avoided an open fight with drilled troops, depending upon surprise tactics... Other and broader phases of the struggle loom. It spreads throughout the land and it grows wider."

Who was speaking? It was the voice of Hagannah, the self-defense organization of Palestinian Jewry, the People's Army. It was not the voice of the terrorists, the Irgun Zvai Leumi, National Military Organization. Nor the voice of the Sternists, the Fighters for Freedom, of which the two young Jewish assassins of Lord Moyne, British Minister Resident in Cairo, were members.

The Hagannah is the modern outgrowth of an organization called Hashomer, The Watchman, the members of which, The Shomrim, were armed guards during Turkish rule to protect the Jewish settlements against tribal raiders. David Ben-Gurion, fiery chairman of the executive of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, is an old watchman. The Shomrim were disbanded to keep them from becoming an armed faction with too much power, and Eliahu Golomb formed the Hagannah which was based on the principle that every Jew should be enrolled and trained to fight. Their veterans had been members of the Jewish Legion.

Just as under Turkish rule the Shomrim did not rely on the authorities to protect them, the Hagannah felt that it could not rely upon British authorities for protection after the Arab massacres of 1929 when Jews at Hebron and Safed could have been saved had not licenses for guns been withdrawn shortly before. Hagannah trained men in defense and accumulated hidden arms and, although some Jews were killed in the Arab uprisings from 1936 to 1939, deaths did not mount up into hundreds. Hagannah members were deputized as supernumerary policemen and worked with the British authorities unofficially. When the famous Wingate came to Palestine in 1936, the men he organized against Arab sabotage of oil pipelines had been trained first by Hagannah. The loving regard he had for them and they for him has become legendary.

The two Jewish terrorist groups in Palestine have as their aim the expulsion of Great Britain from Palestine. They hammer, destroy, harass, with that goal in constant view. Where the Hagannah has thousands, these other groups, the Irgun and the Sternists, have hundreds. They stop at almost nothing, have a contempt for orderly negotiation, and see themselves as having been forced to resort to the gun for help. The Hagannah radio Voice Of Israel had them in mind in parts of its broadcast which hinted against precipitating needless incidents. The fight of Hagannah against the British has one purpose and that is to bring in illegal immigration and settle the people on the land. The fight of Hagannah is the fight of the Palestine settlement, the fight of the partisans. It is not to be confused with the campaign of the terrorists and it has organized Zionist sympathy.

The group on the fact of the earth. It is something of a paradox to hear people cry to the heavens about the crimes of the Nazis, when often these very folk, who cry so loudly, are themselves infected with the Nazi spirit right here in Canada and in the United States.

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be, under present conditions, race suicide.

Dr. Niebuhr, who came prepared to make only a five-minute presentation of his views, was kept considerably longer by the American and British representatives, who expressed an especial respect for his objective approach. But in speaking for eventual political control by the Jews of Palestine, Dr. Niebuhr brought close questioning from Judge Joseph C. Hutcheson, the American chairman.

Judge Hutcheson said that he had been sorry to see the emphasis which so many witnesses had placed on Jewish political control in Palestine. He told Dr. Niebuhr that he believed Jews in the United States were accepted as having the same rights as emigrants from Italy, Germany and other nations, and that he could not understand why they might not as readily submerge their outside loyalties.

Dr. Niebuhr insisted, however, that Jews have separate religious and physical characteristics that identify them and make them liable to persecution, particularly in times of economic stress. Unlike the Germans, Italians and others he pointed out, the Jews have never had a homeland, and thus could never fully sever their attachment to international Jewry in confidence that Jews could, somewhere, maintain their national individuality.

Dr. Isaac Steinberg of the Free-Land League for Jewish Territorial Colonization, testified on unsuccessful efforts by his organization in the last few years to establish Jewish colonies in Australia. He said that two or three of the Provincial Governments had been willing to experiment with a reasonable number of colonies but that the Federal Government of Australia had thus far declined to countenance group immigration.

In London, Prime Minister Peter Fraser, of New Zealand, said he favors joint trusteeship for Palestine.

Fraser told newsmen the problem is too great a burden for any one power, and suggested that as many countries as possible should assume responsibility and participate in a joint trusteeship. He said he would favor New Zealand's sharing in such a trusteeship.

Peter Bergson, testifying in Washington before the inquiry, as chairman of the Hebrew Committee of National Liberation, which he described as "the temporary Hebrew national authority speaking for and representing the interests of the Hebrew nation," charged that a clique of old-line imperialists in the British Colonial Office who would do anything to preserve the status quo which was keeping Palestine artificially divided.

He advocated the immediate creation of a Hebrew state, citizenship in which would be a matter of right for all Jews in the world who desired it and had allegiance to no other nation. He contended that Jews who had been persecuted as aliens in Germany, Rumania and Poland, for example, could not in justice be forced to call themselves Germans, Rumanians and Poles but had to have a national status of their own.

Recognition of an international status for a Hebrew nation would settle the Jewish problem once and for all, he told the committee. He said that he represented the point of view of a Jew living in Palestine, where his family and all his property are at present. He left Palestine in 1938, he explained to help 40,000 European Jews get there.

"I am proud to say that 'illegal immigration' saved their lives," he asserted.

When the British chairman asked whether the inquiry committee would hear another member of the Liberation Committee to whom Mr. Bergson had referred, the latter said that this member was in a concentration camp in Eritrea and that he also would be sent to a concentration camp if he entered Palestine.

According to his testimony, the Hebrew nation is "as real as any other nation in the world." He said that this "nation" was first in casualties suffered in World War II, eighth in fighting power, counting underground movements, ghetto resistance, etc., and twenty-fifth in population of the United Nations of which he would make it a part.

Mr. Bergson used the word "Hebrew" to refer to nationality and "Jew" to mean religious belief.

Dr. Frank W. Notestein, Professor of Demography at Princeton University and director of the Office of Population Research, expressed the belief that Jews could never hope to maintain, except temporarily, a majority in Palestine because of the superior fertility of the Arabs. He estimates the rate of increase in the Jewish population at 1 per cent a year, compared with 2 per cent a year among Moslems and Christians in Palestine.

To obtain equality in population with the Arabs by 1970, he estimated, the Jews would have to bring in 1,000,000 immigrants by 1960. He said that if this immigration occurred, the Jewish pop-

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do that in the hands of American Jewish youth lies the future of Palestine, if you are a proud militant Jew, then you will join our school."

The pamphlet adds that Jewish youths of the ages of 16 and over are eligible. It lists as some of the subjects of the school course: "Jewish History, Palestine Geography, Current Political Problems, Psychology of Leadership, Propaganda, Radio Communication, Star Ideology, Drill, Judo-Jitsu, Boxing, Map Reading and Shooting." It announces among the main principles of the organization, the following:

"Beter recognizes that the aim of Zionism is the creation of a Jewish State in Eretz Israel (Palestine) on both sides of the Jordan, with a Jewish majority. The task of Beter is to organize and educate Jewish youth to take their place in creating a Jewish State and to be ready to make sacrifices in order to achieve this goal in the shortest period of time."

The school was described as the first of its kind in the history of American Jews. The hope was expressed that additional schools may be established in the near future.

ulation of Palestine in 1950 would be 1,500,000, compared with 1,200,000 Arabs but that in 1970 each segment would have 1,000,000 inhabitants.

"I cannot imagine any conditions," he declared, "under which the Jews can reach and maintain a majority in Palestine short of sharp Arab emigration under whatever terms you want."

Rev. T. F. Summerhayes, of Toronto, social service chaplain of the Church of England in Canada, expressed his personal opinion that Zionism is leading to civil war in Palestine.

M. S. Masacud, secretary-treasurer of the Canadian-Arab Friendship League, asked the committee if Britain's pledges to the Arabs are to be ignored because the Zionists claim political influence in the United States.

A group of Christian Zionists, through Rev. Daniel A. Poling as spokesman, urged the Anglo-American Palestine Inquiry Committee to establish immediately a Jewish State in the Holy Land, the new political entity to be created by Great Britain, as the mandatory power, with the "exception" of the United States.

Dr. Poling, who is editor of the Christian Herald and pastor of the Baptist Temple in New York, appeared on behalf of the Christian Council on Palestine, which organization, he said, has 3,000 Protestant clergymen as members, and the American Palestine Committee, made up of 8,000 laymen.

Three members of the committee challenged assertions in the brief submitted by the American Palestine Committee that "it is the belief of Christian Churches, based on the Bible, that God called the Jews to nationhood for conspicuous services to mankind," that "Christians believe, as do the Jews, that Palestine was divinely selected as the site of the Jewish nation," and that "Christians have confidence that the re-establishment of Israel in its national home will again be a blessing to all the peoples of the world."

Canon Charles P. Bridgeman, an Episcopal missionary who lived in Palestine from 1924 to 1944, assailed the Zionist concept of a Jewish State in Palestine. He told the committee that the Arabs would have been ready for self-government long ago if they had not been thwarted by British promises to the Jews.

He advocated special legislation by Congress to permit the U. S. to receive immediately all Jewish refugees in Europe on the ground that "our lethargy, our isolationism, left Nazism a free run in its dastardly course" by which these Jews had been reduced to their present condition.

Joseph Proskauer, former Judge of the Appellate Division, New York Supreme Court, appearing as president of the American Jewish Committee, advocated the establishment of a trusteeship directly under the UNO for an interim administration of Palestine.

Portions of his testimony brought audible dissent from among the ranks of Zionists in the audience, although Judge Proskauer supported the recommendations of the Zionist organizations that have previously testified in favor of immediate admission to Palestine of the 100,000 Jews in Germany and Austria, as well as British restriction of the White Paper in 1939 restricting Jewish immigration and land ownership.

His testimony was well received by the committee, both Dr. John Singleton and Judge Masacud complimenting him on the clarity of his presentation.

Friends of Louis Brandeis, Jewish communal head under threat of alleged collaboration after the war in Austria, have been calling for integrity, stating the understanding of his role as lawyer for Vienna Jews, who have required better the conditions of the living Jews.